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To designate certain Bureau of Land Management lands in the State of Utah as wilderness, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. CANNON introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Resources

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Utah Wilderness and
5 School Trust Lands Protection Act of 1997”.

6 **SEC. 2. DESIGNATION OF WILDERNESS.**

7 (a) DESIGNATION.—In furtherance of the purposes of
8 the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.), the following
9 lands in the State of Utah are hereby designated as wilder-
10 ness and therefore as components of the National Wilder-

1 ness Preservation System upon completion of the exchange
2 specified in section 7:

3 (1) Certain lands in the Desolation Canyon Wil-
4 derness Study Area comprised of approximately
5 254,478 acres, as generally depicted on a map enti-
6 tled “Desolation Canyon Wilderness—Proposed”
7 and dated _____, and which shall be known as
8 the Desolation Canyon Wilderness.

9 (2) Certain lands in the San Rafael Reef Wil-
10 derness Study Area comprised of approximately
11 47,786 acres, as generally depicted on a map enti-
12 tled “San Rafael Reef Wilderness—Proposed” and
13 dated _____, and which shall be known as the
14 San Rafael Reef Wilderness.

15 (3) Certain lands in the Horseshoe Canyon Wil-
16 derness Study Area (North) comprised of approxi-
17 mately 22,943 acres, as generally depicted on a map
18 entitled “Horseshoe/Labyrinth Canyon Wilderness—
19 Proposed” and dated _____, and which shall be
20 known as the Horseshoe/Labyrinth Canyon Wilder-
21 ness.

22 (4) Certain lands in the Crack Canyon Wilder-
23 ness Study Area comprised of approximately 20,322
24 acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled
25 “Crack Canyon Wilderness—Proposed” and dated

1 _____, and which shall be known as the Crack
2 Canyon Wilderness.

3 (5) Certain lands in the Muddy Creek Wilder-
4 ness Study Area comprised of approximately 37,244
5 acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled
6 “Muddy Creek Wilderness—Proposed” and dated
7 _____, and which shall be known as the Muddy
8 Creek Wilderness.

9 (6) Certain lands in the Sids Mountain Wilder-
10 ness Study Area comprised of approximately 41,154
11 acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled “Sids
12 Mountain Wilderness—Proposed” and dated
13 _____, and which shall be known as the Sids
14 Mountain Wilderness.

15 (7) Certain lands in the Mexican Mountain Wil-
16 derness Study Area comprised of approximately
17 34,107 acres, as generally depicted on a map enti-
18 tled “Mexican Mountain Wilderness—Proposed” and
19 dated _____, and which shall be known as the
20 Mexican Mountain Wilderness.

21 (8) Certain lands in the Phipps-Death Hollow
22 Wilderness Study Area comprised of approximately
23 42,437 acres, as generally depicted on a map enti-
24 tled “Phipps-Death Hollow Wilderness—Proposed”

1 and dated _____, and which shall be known as
2 the Phipps-Death Hollow Wilderness.

3 (9) Certain lands in the Steep Creek Wilderness
4 Study Area comprised of approximately 21,277
5 acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled
6 “Steep Creek Wilderness—Proposed” and dated
7 _____, and which shall be known as the Steep
8 Creek Wilderness.

9 (10) Certain lands in the North Escalante Can-
10 yons/The Gulch Wilderness Study Area comprised of
11 approximately 103,324 acres, as generally depicted
12 on a map entitled “North Escalante Canyons/The
13 Gulch Wilderness—Proposed” and dated _____,
14 and which shall be known as the North Escalante
15 Canyons/The Gulch Creek Wilderness.

16 (11) Certain lands in the Scorpion Wilderness
17 Study Area comprised of approximately 16,692
18 acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled “Scor-
19 pion Wilderness—Proposed” and dated _____,
20 and which shall be known as the Scorpion Wilder-
21 ness.

22 (12) Certain lands in the Mt. Ellen-Blue Hills
23 Wilderness Study Area comprised of approximately
24 62,663 acres, as generally depicted on a map enti-
25 tled “Mt. Ellen-Blue Hills Wilderness—Proposed”

1 and dated _____, and which shall be known as
2 the Mt. Ellen-Blue Hills Wilderness.

3 (13) Certain lands in the Bull Mountain Wil-
4 derness Study Area comprised of approximately
5 11,424 acres, as generally depicted on a map enti-
6 tled “Bull Mountain Wilderness—Proposed” and
7 dated _____, and which shall be known as the
8 Bull Mountain Wilderness.

9 (14) Certain lands in the Fiddler Butte Wilder-
10 ness Study Area comprised of approximately 22,180
11 acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled “Fid-
12 dler Butte Wilderness—Proposed” and dated
13 _____, and which shall be known as the Fiddler
14 Butte Mountain Wilderness.

15 (15) Certain lands in the Mt. Pennell Wilder-
16 ness Study Area comprised of approximately 18,620
17 acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled “Mt.
18 Pennell Wilderness—Proposed” and dated
19 _____, and which shall be known as the Mt.
20 Pennell Wilderness.

21 (16) Certain lands in the Mt. Hillers Wilder-
22 ness Study Area comprised of approximately 14,746
23 acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled “Mt.
24 Hillers Wilderness—Proposed” and dated _____,

1 and which shall be known as the Mt. Hillers Wilder-
2 ness.

3 (17) Certain lands in the Little Rockies Wilder-
4 ness Study Area comprised of approximately 48,928
5 acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled “Lit-
6 tle Rockies Wilderness—Proposed” and dated
7 _____, and which shall be known as the Little
8 Rockies Wilderness.

9 (18) Certain lands in the Mill Creek Canyon
10 Wilderness Study Area comprised of approximately
11 7,838 acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled
12 “Mill Creek Canyon Wilderness—Proposed” and
13 dated _____, and which shall be known as the
14 Mill Creek Canyon Wilderness.

15 (19) Certain lands in the Negro Bill Canyon
16 Wilderness Study Area comprised of approximately
17 7,432 acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled
18 “Negro Bill Canyon Wilderness—Proposed” and
19 dated _____, and which shall be known as the
20 Negro Bill Canyon Wilderness.

21 (20) Certain lands in the Floy Canyon Wilder-
22 ness Study Area comprised of approximately 28,290
23 acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled “Floy
24 Canyon Wilderness—Proposed” and dated

1 _____, and which shall be known as the Floy
2 Canyon Wilderness.

3 (21) Certain lands in the Coal Canyon Wilder-
4 ness Study Area and the Spruce Canyon Wilderness
5 Study Area comprised of approximately 46,669
6 acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled “Coal/
7 Spruce Canyon Wilderness—Proposed” and dated
8 _____, and which shall be known as the Coal/
9 Spruce Canyon Wilderness.

10 (22) Certain lands in the Flume Canyon Wil-
11 derness Study Area comprised of approximately
12 31,568 acres, as generally depicted on a map enti-
13 tled “Flume Canyon Wilderness—Proposed” and
14 dated _____, and which shall be known as the
15 Flume Canyon Wilderness.

16 (23) Certain lands in the Westwater Canyon
17 Wilderness Study Area comprised of approximately
18 25,383 acres, as generally depicted on a map enti-
19 tled “Westwater Canyon Wilderness—Proposed”
20 and dated _____, and which shall be known as
21 the Westwater Canyon Wilderness.

22 (24) Certain lands in the Beaver Creek Wilder-
23 ness Study Area comprised of approximately 24,531
24 acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled “Bea-
25 ver Creek Wilderness—Proposed” and dated

1 _____, and which shall be known as the Beaver
2 Creek Wilderness.

3 (25) Certain lands in the Fish Springs Wilder-
4 ness Study Area comprised of approximately 36,142
5 acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled “Fish
6 Springs Wilderness—Proposed” and dated
7 _____, and which shall be known as the Fish
8 Springs Wilderness.

9 (26) Certain lands in the Swasey Mountain Wil-
10 derness Study Area comprised of approximately
11 34,803 acres, as generally depicted on a map enti-
12 tled “Swasey Mountain Wilderness—Proposed” and
13 dated _____, and which shall be known as the
14 Swasey Mountain Wilderness.

15 (27) Certain lands in the Parunuweap Canyon
16 Wilderness Study Area comprised of approximately
17 19,122 acres, as generally depicted on a map enti-
18 tled “Parunuweap Canyon Wilderness—Proposed”
19 and dated _____, and which shall be known as
20 the Parunuweap Wilderness.

21 (28) Certain lands in the Canaan Mountain
22 Wilderness Study Area comprised of approximately
23 30,864 acres, as generally depicted on a map enti-
24 tled “Canaan Mountain Wilderness—Proposed” and

1 dated _____, and which shall be known as the
2 Canaan Mountain Wilderness.

3 (29) Certain lands in the Paria-Hackberry Wil-
4 derness Study Area comprised of approximately
5 57,641 acres, as generally depicted on a map enti-
6 tled “Paria-Hackberry Wilderness—Proposed” and
7 dated _____, and which shall be known as the
8 Paria-Hackberry Wilderness.

9 (30) Certain lands in the Escalante Canyon
10 Tract 5 Wilderness Study Area comprised of ap-
11 proximately 756 acres, as generally depicted on a
12 map entitled “Escalante Canyon Tract 5 Wilder-
13 ness—Proposed” and dated _____, and which
14 shall be known as the Escalante Canyon Tract 5
15 Wilderness.

16 (31) Certain lands in the Fifty Mile Mountain
17 Wilderness Study Area comprised of approximately
18 121,434 acres, as generally depicted on a map enti-
19 tled “Fifty Mile Mountain Wilderness—Proposed”
20 and dated _____, and which shall be known as
21 the Fifty Mile Mountain Wilderness.

22 (32) Certain lands in the Howell Peak Wilder-
23 ness comprised of approximately 14,518 acres, as
24 generally depicted on a map entitled “Howell Peak
25 Wilderness—Proposed” and dated _____, and

1 which shall be known as the Howell Peak Wilder-
2 ness.

3 (33) Certain lands in the Notch Peak Wilder-
4 ness Study Area comprised of approximately 28,778
5 acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled
6 “Notch Peak Wilderness—Proposed” and dated
7 _____, and which shall be known as the Notch
8 Peak Wilderness.

9 (34) Certain lands in the Wah Wah Mountains
10 Wilderness Study Area comprised of approximately
11 41,311 acres, as generally depicted on a map enti-
12 tled “Wah Wah Mountains Wilderness—Proposed”
13 and dated _____, and which shall be known as
14 the Wah Wah Wilderness.

15 (35) Certain lands in the Mancos Mesa Wilder-
16 ness Study Area comprised of approximately 48,269
17 acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled
18 “Mancos Mesa Wilderness—Proposed” and dated
19 _____, and which shall be known as the Mancos
20 Mesa Wilderness.

21 (36) Certain lands in the Grand Gulch Wilder-
22 ness Study Area comprised of approximately 51,110
23 acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled
24 “Grand Gulch Wilderness—Proposed” and dated

1 _____, and which shall be known as the Grand
2 Gulch Wilderness.

3 (37) Certain lands in the Dark Canyon Wilder-
4 ness Study Area comprised of approximately 67,099
5 acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled “Dark
6 Canyon Wilderness—Proposed” and dated
7 _____, and which shall be known as the Dark
8 Canyon Wilderness.

9 (38) Certain lands in the Butler Wash Wilder-
10 ness Study Area comprised of approximately 25,400
11 acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled “But-
12 ler Wash Wilderness—Proposed” and dated
13 _____, and which shall be known as the Butler
14 Wash Wilderness.

15 (39) Certain lands in the Indian Creek Wilder-
16 ness Study Area comprised of approximately 6,769
17 acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled “In-
18 dian Creek Wilderness—Proposed” and dated
19 _____, and which shall be known as the Indian
20 Creek Wilderness.

21 (40) Certain lands in the Behind the Rocks
22 Wilderness Study Area comprised of approximately
23 13,728 acres, as generally depicted on a map enti-
24 tled “Behind the Rocks Wilderness—Proposed” and

1 dated _____, and which shall be known as the
2 Behind the Rocks Wilderness.

3 (41) Certain lands in the Cedar Mountains Wil-
4 derness Study Area comprised of approximately
5 25,645 acres, as generally depicted on a map enti-
6 tled “Cedar Mountains Wilderness—Proposed” and
7 dated _____, and which shall be known as the
8 Cedar Mountains Wilderness.

9 (42) Certain lands in the Deep Creek Moun-
10 tains Wilderness Study Area comprised of approxi-
11 mately 71,024 acres, as generally depicted on a map
12 entitled “Deep Creek Mountains Wilderness—Pro-
13 posed” and dated _____, and which shall be
14 known as the Deep Creek Mountains Wilderness.

15 (43) Certain lands in the Nutters Hole Wilder-
16 ness Study Area comprised of approximately 3,647
17 acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled “Nut-
18 ters Hole Wilderness—Proposed” and dated
19 _____, and which shall be known as the Nutters
20 Hole Wilderness.

21 (44) Certain lands in the Cougar Canyon Wil-
22 derness Study Area comprised of approximately
23 6,408 acres, including those lands located in the
24 State of Nevada, as generally depicted on a map en-
25 titled “Cougar Canyon Wilderness—Proposed” and

1 dated _____, and which shall be known as the
2 Cougar Canyon Wilderness.

3 (45) Certain lands in the Red Mountain Wilder-
4 ness Study Area comprised of approximately 9,216
5 acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled “Red
6 Mountain Wilderness—Proposed” and dated
7 _____, and which shall be known as the Red
8 Mountains Wilderness.

9 (46) Certain lands in the Deep Creek Wilder-
10 ness Study Area comprised of approximately 3,063
11 acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled “Deep
12 Creek Wilderness—Proposed” and dated _____,
13 and which shall be known as the Deep Creek Wilder-
14 ness.

15 (47) Certain lands within the Dirty Devil Wil-
16 derness Study Area comprised of approximately
17 75,854 acres, as generally depicted on a map enti-
18 tled “Dirty Devil Wilderness—Proposed” and dated
19 _____, and which shall be known as the Dirty
20 Devil Wilderness.

21 (48) Certain lands within the Horseshoe Can-
22 yon South Wilderness Study Area comprised of ap-
23 proximately 11,392 acres, as generally depicted on a
24 map entitled “Horseshoe Canyon South Wilder-
25 ness—Proposed” and dated _____, and which

1 shall be known as the Horseshoe Canyon South Wil-
2 derness.

3 (49) Certain lands in the French Spring-Happy
4 Canyon Wilderness Study Area comprised of ap-
5 proximately 12,343 acres, as generally depicted on a
6 map entitled “French Spring-Happy Canyon Wilder-
7 ness—Proposed” and dated _____, and which
8 shall be known as the French Spring-Happy Canyon
9 Wilderness.

10 (b) MAP AND DESCRIPTION.—As soon as practicable
11 after the date of enactment of this Act, the Secretary of
12 the Interior (hereafter in this Act referred to as the “Sec-
13 retary”) shall file a map and a legal description of each
14 area designated as wilderness by subsection (a) with the
15 Committee on Resources of the House of Representatives
16 and the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources of
17 the Senate. Each such map and description shall have the
18 same force and effect as if included in this Act, except
19 that corrections of clerical and typographical errors in
20 each such map and legal description may be made. Each
21 such map and legal description shall be on file and avail-
22 able for public inspection in the office of the Director of
23 the Bureau of Land Management, and the office of the
24 State Director of the Bureau of Land Management in the
25 State of Utah, Department of the Interior.

1 **SEC. 3. ADMINISTRATION OF WILDERNESS AREAS.**

2 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subject to valid existing rights,
3 each area designated by this Act as wilderness shall be
4 administered by the Secretary in accordance with this Act,
5 the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.), and section
6 603 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of
7 1976. Any lands or interest in lands within the boundaries
8 of an area designated as wilderness by this Act that is
9 acquired by the United States after the date of enactment
10 of this Act shall be added to and administered as part
11 of the wilderness area within which such lands or interests
12 in lands are located.

13 (b) MANAGEMENT PLANS.—The Secretary shall, as
14 soon as possible, prepare plans to manage the areas des-
15 ignated by this Act as wilderness.

16 (c) LIVESTOCK.—Grazing of livestock in areas des-
17 ignated as wilderness by this Act, where established prior
18 to the date of the enactment of this Act, shall—

19 (1) continue and not be curtailed, phased out or
20 rendered economically infeasible due to wilderness
21 designation or management; and

22 (2) be administered in accordance with section
23 4(d)(4) of the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C.
24 1133(d)(4)) and the guidelines set forth in House
25 Report 96–1126.

1 (d) STATE FISH AND WILDLIFE.—In accordance
2 with section 4(d)(7) of the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C.
3 1131(d)(7)), nothing in this Act shall be construed as af-
4 fecting the jurisdiction or responsibilities of the State of
5 Utah with respect to fish and wildlife management activi-
6 ties, including water development, predator control, trans-
7 planting animals, stocking fish, hunting, fishing and trap-
8 ping.

9 (e) PROHIBITION OF BUFFER ZONES.—The Con-
10 gress does not intend that designation of an area as wil-
11 derness by this Act lead to the creation of protective pe-
12 rimeters or buffer zones around the area.

13 (f) OIL SHALE RESERVE NUMBER TWO.—The area
14 known as “Oil Shale Reserve Number Two” within Deso-
15 lation Canyon Wilderness (as designated by section
16 2(a)(1)), located in Carbon County, Utah, shall not be re-
17 served for oil shale purposes after the date of the enact-
18 ment of this Act and shall be under the sole jurisdiction
19 of and managed by the Bureau of Land Management.

20 (g) ROADS AND RIGHTS-OF-WAY AS BOUNDARIES.—
21 Unless depicted otherwise on a map referred to by this
22 Act, where roads form the boundaries of the areas des-
23 ignated as wilderness by this Act, the wilderness boundary
24 shall be set back from the center line of the road as fol-
25 lows: 300 feet for high standard roads such as paved high-

1 ways; and 100 feet for roads equivalent to high standard
2 logging roads and dirt roads used for right-of-way maintenance.
3 nance.

4 (h) LAND ACQUISITION BY EXCHANGE OR PURCHASE.—The Secretary shall offer to acquire from non-
5 CHASE.—The Secretary shall offer to acquire from non-
6 governmental entities lands and interests in lands located
7 within or adjacent to areas designated as wilderness by
8 this Act. Lands may be acquired under this subsection
9 only by exchange or purchase from willing sellers.

10 **SEC. 4. WATER RIGHTS.**

11 (a) NO FEDERAL RESERVATION.—Nothing in this
12 Act or any other Act of Congress shall constitute or be
13 construed to constitute either an express or implied Federal
14 reservation of water or water rights for any purpose
15 arising from the designation of areas as wilderness by this
16 Act.

17 (b) ACQUISITION AND EXERCISE OF WATER RIGHTS
18 UNDER UTAH LAW.—The United States may acquire and
19 exercise such water rights as it deems necessary to carry
20 out its responsibilities on any lands designated as wilderness
21 by this Act pursuant to the substantive and procedural
22 requirements of the State of Utah. Nothing in this
23 Act shall be construed to authorize the use of eminent domain
24 by the United States to acquire water rights for such
25 lands. Within areas designated as wilderness by this Act,

1 all rights to water granted under the laws of the State
2 of Utah may be exercised in accordance with the sub-
3 stantive and procedural requirements of the State of Utah.

4 (c) EXERCISE OF WATER RIGHTS GENERALLY
5 UNDER UTAH LAWS.—Nothing in this Act shall be con-
6 strued to limit the exercise of water rights as provided
7 under Utah State laws.

8 **SEC. 5. NATIVE AMERICAN CULTURAL AND RELIGIOUS**
9 **USES.**

10 In recognition of the past use of portions of the areas
11 designated as wilderness by this Act by Native Americans
12 for traditional cultural and religious purposes, the Sec-
13 retary shall assure nonexclusive access from time to time
14 to those sites by Native Americans for such purposes, in-
15 cluding (but not limited to) wood gathering for personal
16 use or collecting plants or herbs for religious or medicinal
17 purposes. Such access shall be consistent with the purpose
18 and intent of the Act of August 11, 1978 (42 U.S.C. 1996;
19 commonly referred to as the “American Indian Religious
20 Freedom Act”).

21 **SEC. 6. WILDERNESS RELEASE.**

22 (a) FINDING.—The Congress finds and directs that
23 all public lands in the State of Utah administered by the
24 Bureau of Land Management have been adequately stud-
25 ied for wilderness designation pursuant to sections 202

1 and 603 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act
2 of 1976 (43 U.S.C. 1712 and 1782).

3 (b) RELEASE.—Except as provided in subsection (c),
4 any public lands administered by the Bureau of Land
5 Management in the State of Utah not designated wilder-
6 ness by this Act shall not be subject to section 603(c) of
7 the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976
8 (43 U.S.C. 1783(c)) but shall be managed for multiple
9 uses in accordance with land management plans adopted
10 pursuant to section 202 of such Act (43 U.S.C. 1712).

11 (c) CONTINUING WILDERNESS STUDY AREAS STA-
12 TUS.—The following wilderness study areas which are
13 under study status by States adjacent to the State of Utah
14 shall continue to be subject to section 603(c) of the Fed-
15 eral Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 (43 U.S.C.
16 1782(c)):

17 (1) Bull Canyon; UT-080-419/CO-010-001.

18 (2) Wrigley Mesa/Jones Canyon/Black Ridge
19 Canyon West; UT-060-116/117/CO-070-113A.

20 (3) Squaw/Papoose Canyon; UT-060-227/CO-
21 030-265A.

22 (4) Cross Canyon; UT-060-229/CO-030-265.

23 **SEC. 7. EXCHANGE RELATING TO SCHOOL AND INSTITU-**
24 **TIONAL TRUST LANDS.**

25 (a) FINDINGS.—The Congress finds that—

1 (1) approximately 142,041 acres of school and
2 institutional trust lands are located within or adja-
3 cent to areas designated as wilderness by this Act;

4 (2) such lands were originally granted to the
5 State of Utah for the purpose of generating support
6 for the public schools through the development of
7 natural resources and other methods; and

8 (3) it is in the interest of the State of Utah for
9 such lands to be exchanged for interests in Federal
10 lands located outside of wilderness areas to accom-
11 plish this purpose.

12 (b) INDEMNITY SELECTIONS PERMITTED.—

13 (1) The State of Utah shall be entitled to select
14 unappropriated public lands of equivalent value with-
15 in the State of Utah pursuant to sections 2275 and
16 2276 of the Revised Statutes (43 U.S.C. 851–852)
17 in lieu of lands granted or reserved to the State that
18 are located within the boundaries of any area des-
19 ignated by Congress as part of the National Wilder-
20 ness Preservation System pursuant to Public Law
21 88–577 (78 Stat. 890; 16 U.S.C. 1131–1136) (com-
22 monly known as the “Wilderness Act of 1964”). The
23 selection of indemnity lands pursuant to this section
24 may be made without regard to whether title to
25 lands granted or reserved to the State has vested;

1 provided, however, that the selection of any lands in
2 lieu of sections granted or reserved to the State shall
3 be a waiver by the State of all right, title, and inter-
4 est in the granted or reserved sections. Such selec-
5 tion shall occur within 2 years of the date of enact-
6 ment of this Act.

7 (2) Upon the selection by the State of Utah of
8 indemnity lands in lieu of base lands within a Fed-
9 eral reservation, and the State's waiver of all right,
10 title, and interest in the base lands, the United
11 States shall succeed to all rights of the State under
12 any lease or permit encumbering the base lands,
13 subject, however, to all obligations of the State
14 under and with respect to that lease or permit.

15 (3) In the event that base lands for which in-
16 demnity selections are available pursuant to this sec-
17 tion were granted or reserved to the State of Utah
18 for purposes other than support of the State's com-
19 mon schools pursuant to sections 7, 8, and 12 of the
20 Utah Enabling Act (Act of July 16, 1894, ch. 138;
21 28 Stat. 107), indemnity selections made pursuant
22 to this section shall be held by the State for the pur-
23 pose for which the base lands were granted or re-
24 served.

1 (4) The Secretary of the Interior may not
2 refuse to accept any indemnity selection made by the
3 State of Utah pursuant to this section by reason of
4 section 7 of the Act of June 28, 1934 (48 Stat.
5 1272, as amended; 43 U.S.C. 315f) (commonly
6 known as the “Taylor Grazing Act”).

7 (c) AUTHORIZATION OF REIMBURSEMENT OF UTAH
8 SCHOOL AND INSTITUTIONAL TRUST LANDS ADMINIS-
9 TRATION FOR COSTS OF EXCHANGE.—There are author-
10 ized to be appropriated such sums as are necessary to re-
11 imburse the Utah School and Institutional Trust Lands
12 Administration for all costs incurred in order to complete
13 the exchange specified in this section.

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